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LETTER DATED 15 FEBRUARY 1991 FROM THE PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF COLOMBIA TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

I have the honour to transmit to you the following text of a letter from the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Colombia, Mr. Luis Fernando Jaramillo, addressed to the Minister for Foreign Affairs of Israel, Mr. David Levi:

"Sir,

"My Government is following developments in the crisis in the Persian Gulf particularly closely and hopes that the withdrawal of Saddam Hussein from Kuwait, as stipulated by the resolutions of the United Nations Security Council, will be secured shortly.

"I wish to express to you my Government's firm condemnation of Iraq's successive attacks on the territory of Israel, which have caused suffering among the civilian population and considerable material damage. The Government of Colombia pledges its solidarity with the Israeli people and hopes that peace and tranquillity will soon be restored to Israel.

"I take this opportunity to convey to you the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

Luis Fernando JARAMILLO CORREA
Minister for Foreign Affairs"

I should be grateful if you would have this letter distributed as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Fernando CEPEDA
Ambassador
Permanent Representative

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